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equipment for the past 60 years; call 1-800-431-3939 or visit
http://www.universal-radio.com
*Commentary by former FCC Chairman Newton Minow, advocating
increased US public diplomacy including international broadcasting
http://www.usatoday.com/news/comment/2002/03/19/ncguest1.htm
*Former VOA site at Bethany, Ohio: Veterans push for museum; nearby
is commercial development named `Voice of America Center`, parks
http://www.activedayton.com/ddn/local/0309voa.html
http://enquirer.com/editions/2002/03/07/loc_big_retailers_could.html
*WWV heard on 30 MHz, so could be 2nd, 3rd, 6th or 12th harmonics
*Classical Music on the Wane in US Radio; fewer commercial stations,
and public stations also drawn to news/talk instead
http://www.andante.com/magazine/article.cfm?id=16078&highlight=1&timeline=1&highlightterms=radio&lstKeywords=radio
*Complete texts or links to these stories in DX Listening Digests;
one way to find would be keyword search at the 2002 archive
http://www.worldofradio.com/dxldtd02.html
*Public stations keeping some classical, jazz only due to ``mission
issue`` of NPR, e.g. WKMS in Kentucky
http://www.usnews.com/usnews/biz/e_friend.php3?goto=%2Fusnews%2Fissue%2F020311%2Fideas%2Fllnpr.htm
*WYSO, Yellow Springs OH, dumping locally-produced jazz, women`s
show, and others despite flood of criticism
http://www.activedayton.com/ddn/go/0306wyso.html
http://www.activedayton.com/ddn/local/0312wyso.html
*WCBE, Columbus, OH, trying to shift management to WOSU
http://libpub.dispatch.com/cgi-bin/documentv1?DBLIST=cd02&DOCNUM=10952&TERMV=5502:4:15779:4:15814:4:21109:4:26324:4:26367:4:316
http://www.dispatch.com/news-story.php?story=dispatch/news/news02/mar02/1127443.html
*Unitarian radio show airing in Salt Lake City, ``Bulding a Good
Society``, on KRCL, behind the Zion curtain, where webcast suspended
due to DMCA, but this and other shows ondemand via
http://www.krcl.org/PublicAffairs/ondemand.htm
*Sarasota, Florida station pretending to be WLS, but ABC objects,
so next pretending to be WGN [not two stations]
*WLVA-590, Virginia, transmitter site worth more than station
itself, so off the air for a while; fans offer yard space
*Clinton, TN, station WDVX in RV popular amongst travelers
*That other WOR, 710, New York, about to relocate transmitter site
less than a mile away to improve signal with different parameters;
interimly 10 kW non-directional; watch website or details
http://www.wor710.com/Engineering/technical.htm
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OK 73702 USA
*Unidentified 7-tower array south of Fort Worth last year is
actually a failed amusement ride, miniature airplane on cables
*Michigan requires permit to listen to SW in a motor vehicle,
evidently long-outdated law when police were on 120 meters;
See http://www.mpscs.com/com-022.pdf
*Michael Dorner, Catholic Radio Update, commentary ``The Public Be
Damned``; full text in DXLD 2-041, on Digital TV boondoggle
*IBOC, digital radio on FM about to happen, e.g. Crawford
Broadcasting about to roll out, including Chicago; MW will benefit
more, but take longer; see http://www.crawfordbroadcasting.com/home
*DXLD 2-046: Radio Free Richmond, Virginia, trying to stop IBOC DAB:
http://www.digitaldisaster.org
*IBOC on AM daytime-only for now; engineers just discovered skywave;
see http://www.rwonline.com/dailynews/one.php?id=1358
*DAB Digital Radio a big hit at Toronto auto show; totally different
and incompatible system to American
http://www.worlddab.org/pressreleases/Toronto_car_show-overview.pdf
http://www.worlddab.org/pressreleases/DAB_programming_features.pdf
*Australians coming to American satellite TV: TARBS pact with
PanAmSatCorp -- Television And Radio Broadcasting Services, a
multicultural broadcaster, more than 50 channels DTH
*Advance schedeles for opera on the internet:
http://www.angelfire.com/or3/opnetradio/thiswk.htm
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*And so, I, Glenn Hauser, now conclude edition number 02-02 of
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